# King County Prosecuting Attorney





Norm MALENG Republican

Thank you for the honor of serving as your King County Prosecuting Attorney. Our mission is not just to win cases, but to serve the cause of justice with fairness and integrity. I am extremely proud to lead a group of highly professional men and women who strive to uphold these ideals every day.

My number one priority has always been to prosecute aggressively the thousands of criminal cases that come to my office. At the same time, I have and will continue to play a strong leadership role in seeking innovative reform of our criminal justice system.

Several of my top priorities over the next four years will be:

- Safety in our schools: Schools must be a place where our children can be nurtured and educated free of the fear of weapons, drugs and violence. I will continue to work hard to make every school campus safe for kids who want to learn.
- **Protection of the vulnerable:** As our population ages, the chance that the elderly will become victims of physical abuse, neglect and economic crimes increases. I will work to protect our senior citizens and make sure the criminal justice system is sensitive and responsive to the special needs of this population.
- Reform of drug laws: Drug laws should be tough and emphasize accountability but also hold out hope for redemption through treatment. To bring a balance between treatment and punishment, I began the first drug court in the state and last year led a successful bi-partisan legislative effort to redirect funds from the prison system to the drug treatment programs.

It is my honor to serve as your Prosecuting Attorney. Thank you for the trust that you have placed in me

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## **King County District Court Aukeen Electoral District Judge**

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Richard W. **BATHUM** Non Partisan

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Linda **THOMPSON** Non Partisan

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It has been my privilege to serve South King County for the past eight years as a District Court Judge in Aukeen Division, and most recently to have been chosen by King County Superior Court to serve as an elected Judge pro tem. Thank you for the confidence you have placed in me. I will continue to work hard to maintain a court system that meets the needs of this community, and treats every individual with fairness, respect and dignity.

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Darrell E. **PHILLIPSON** Non Partisan

I am honored to be a judge of the King County District Court. I have served in this capacity since 1983, and have always done my best to work hard, treat people fairly and respectfully, and to do justice.

I pledge to continue to do so in my next term of office, and to look for innovative ways to lead the Court through these very tough economic times. All County government is suffering from revenue losses, but by working efficiently and intelligently we can continue to provide the citizens of King County with an effective Court system.

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# King County District Court Bellevue Electoral District Judge



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Linda JACKE Non Partisan Judge Linda Jacke has served as a King County District Court judge in Bellevue/Mercer Island for ten years. She was appointed to that position in 1992 by the King County Council. Prior to her appointment, Judge Jacke was a Senior Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for King County. She was unanimously elected in 1994 and re-elected in 1998. Judge Jacke has over thirty years of experience in the criminal justice system.

Linda Jacke is a graduate of the University of California at Berkeley and Southwestern University School of Law. During her tenure of office as judge she has served on the King County District Court's Executive, Strategic Planning, Personnel, and Caseload Committees. She has also served on the City of Bellevue's Court Committee, the City of Bellevue's Probation Advisory Board and on the Board of Directors of the Eastside Literacy Council (1995-2000). She is currently a part-time judge pro tem in King County Superior Court. Judge Jacke was the 1994 recipient of the Washington Women Lawyers' "Special Contribution to the Judiciary" award.

Linda Jacke lives in Bellevue with her husband and son. She looks forward to serving the citizens of King County for another four years.

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Janet GARROW Non Partisan

Judge Janet Garrow has served the communities of Bellevue and Mercer Island as a judge since 1999. Before becoming a judge she practiced civil and criminal law for over 17 years and has extensive litigation experience. Her volunteer work has included the Bellevue Human Services Commission, Eastside Domestic Violence Program, King County Sexual Assault Resource Center, Bellevue Neighborhood Mediation Program and YMCA Moot Court.

Judge Garrow serves as a member of several local and state judges committees. She was appointed by the Washington Supreme Court to serve on the Task Force for Funding Civil Legal Services for the poor and she served as co-chair of King County's assessment process regarding jail usage. Judge Garrow regularly sits as a pro tem judge in King County Superior Court.

The District Court handles thousands of cases each year involving DUI, domestic violence, theft, small claims and traffic infractions. It is the court that most people have contact with. Judge Garrow believes that what happens in District Court affects everyone in our community. She thanks you for the opportunity to serve the community in the position of judge. Judge Garrow lives in Bellevue with her family.

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Fred L.
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Non Partisan

In 1990, I was elected as one of three judges in the Bellevue District Court. In 1991, the nine separate district courts were consolidated and became divisions of the King County District Court. In 1994 and 1998, I was re-elected. This year I am, again, unopposed for re-election.

My wife, Sheri, and I have lived in Bellevue for 31 years. We have two adult children, Liz and Matt, living nearby. Prior to becoming a judge, I served in the King County Prosecutor's Office for 22 years. For five years, I served on active duty as an officer in the United States Army. My undergraduate and law degrees were from the University of Washington.

The District Court is the court level closest to most people. The court handles criminal, traffic, civil and small claim cases. Personal perceptions of the legal system often result from contacts with this court. I believe that the court should provide justice for all participants in the legal system: litigants, lawyers, witnesses, victims and the community. Everyone should be treated with respect and dignity.

Thank you for your continued support. I look forward to continuing to serve the citizens of King County.

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# King County District Court Issaquah Electoral District Judge

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Mary Ann OTTINGER Non Partisan

The privilege I have had the past ten years serving the citizens of the fastest growing area of King County has been accompanied by many challenges. Our semi-rural area has become urban, congested and commercial. Each year, it becomes increasingly important that I work closely with the four cities I serve, law enforcement, schools and community groups to ensure safety and accountability for all citizens. In the next four years, I look forward to building upon the excellent relationships I have developed with all these groups. Budget cuts imposed by King County government have had a severe impact on our ability to provide the kind of efficient court services we all have a right to expect. I intend to work hard to do "more with less," and ensure that the courthouse remains an integral part of the community.

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## King County District Court Northeast Electoral District Judge



POSITON	No Photo Submitted David A. STEINER Non Partisan	Candidate did not submit a statement.  UNOPPOSED
POSITION N	No Photo Submitted  Peter L. NAULT Non Partisan	Candidate did not submit a statement.  UNOPPOSED
P O S I T I O N 3	No Photo Submitted  David S. ADMIRE Non Partisan	Judge Admire has served as a District Court Judge since 1983. He has initiated sentencing alternatives such as the DWI Victims Panel. He also began a program for offenders suffering from Attention Deficit Disorder and Learning Disabilities that has reduced reoffense rates by 40%. Because of his work, Judge Admire has been asked to speak at various state, national and international conferences focusing on these programs. He has served on the board of directors of the Washington State Council on Alcoholism, The National Association for Children of Alcoholics and the National Prevention Faculty. Judge Admire is currently the Presiding Judge of the Northeast Division of the King County District Court.
POSITION 4	No Photo Submitted  J. Wesley SAINT CLAIR Non Partisan	Candidate did not submit a statement.  UNOPPOSED



# King County District Court Renton Electoral District Judge

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Robert E. McBETH Non Partisan

Judge McBeth has served as the elected judge of the Renton Division, King County District Court since 1981. He is a Past-President of the Washington State District and Municipal Court Judges Association, having served on its Board of Governors 1990-1997. He has previously served as a member of the Washington State Minority and Justice Commission (Technical Advisor) and Board for Judicial Administration, which act to provide guidance and leadership for all levels of court in Washington. Judge McBeth served as a member of the Washington State Commission on Justice, Efficiency and Accountability, charged with reviewing the efficiency and accountability of all levels of courts in Washington.

Judge McBeth serves as a faculty member of the National Judicial College and Washington Judicial College.

Judge McBeth has been an active member of Renton Rotary, and has served as a citizen advisor for Cascade Elementary School, Talbot Hill Elementary School and Renton Alternative High School. He was a founder/Board Member of the Talbot Hill Elementary School Education Trust Fund.

Judge McBeth is married to Kathy, a Renton school teacher, and they have two grown children.

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Charles John DELAURENTI, II Non Partisan I seek your vote for re-election to the King County District Court, Renton Division, Position 2. I am a lifelong Renton resident. I graduated from Renton High School, 1961, Seattle University, 1965, and Gonzaga Law School, 1969.

I was law clerk for the Chief Justice of Washington State Supreme Court, 1969-70, a member of the King County Prosecutor's office, 1970-82, where I served in the criminal, juvenile, and civil divisions.

I was appointed to the bench on February 8, 1982, and have been continually elected to the position. I have broad support from the South King County community, am supported by police officers, and was

I have broad support from the South King County community, am supported by police officers, and was highly rated by the attorneys who appear before me.

As a Judge I am committed to a fair but firm application of the laws. The courts are currently involved in a budget crisis but I am committed to provide service to all who use the court. I have been involved in the state judges' association and was education chair for 12 years. I was a proponent for required continuing legal education for judges which is now the rule.

I am married to Jeanette and we have two children Lynne and David.

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## City of Snoqualmie Proposition No. 2



#### **BALLOT TITLE**

PROPOSITION NO. 2
COMMUNITY CENTER CONSTRUCTION
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS - \$9,000,000

The City Council of the City of Snoqualmie, Washington, passed Ordinance No. 910 concerning a proposition to finance the design, construction and equipping of a new community center. If approved, this proposition would authorize the City to design, construct and equip a new community center and related facilities on city owned property north of Ridge Street adjacent to Meadow Park, and carry out other capital purposes; issue up to \$9,000,000 general obligation bonds maturing within 20 years or less; and levy annual excess property taxes to pay and retire the bonds, all as provided in Ordinance No. 910. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED? REJECTED?

### **Explanatory Statement**

If approved, this proposition would authorize the City of Snoqualmie to issue no more than \$9,000,000 of general obligation bonds to pay costs of designing, constructing and equipping a community center and related facilities to be located on City owned property north of Ridge Street adjacent to Meadow Park, and carrying out other capital purposes, as provided in Ordinance No. 910.

The City Council has found that there is an urgent need for a new community center and related facilities to better serve the City and its residents.

Without voter approval, there would be no funds to pay for the designing, construction and equipping of a new community center and related facilities.

The bonds would mature within 20 years, and be paid by annual property tax levies made in excess of regular property tax levies throughout the City at an estimated average of \$0.76 per \$1,000 of assessed value, or an estimated \$190 annually for a home valued at \$250,000.

Exemptions from taxes for the bonds may be available to homeowners who are 61 years of age or older, or disabled, and who meet income requirements set by state law.

#### Statement for

Snoqualmie stands at the threshold of one of the most defining moments in its 100-year history. Our population is currently growing by over 600 residents per year and our Assessed Valuation is increasing by over \$100 million annually. This dramatic change has challenged us to redefine ourselves by blending the strengths and character of our past with a well-planned and bright future. This Community Center will be a profound symbol of Snoqualmie's endurance, tenacity and success during the past 100 years, and of our commitment to provide strong healthy recreational and social opportunities for our children. It will serve as a place to bind old and new together, as the Community Hall did years ago. The Center will be our common living room, hearth, and swimming hole; a warm refuge from dreary windy winters; a cool escape from hot and dry summers, and a second home during devastating floods. When the doors of the proposed Community Center and Pool open in the fall of 2005, our population will be over 6,000. We cannot depend on the county to provide these services for our community any longer. Let's start now. Please vote YES for our families, our children and our future.

### Rebuttal of statement against

Bond rates are decreasing and the tax revenue base is increasing. This combination will continue to reduce costs for everyone. The possible operating cost shortfalls are first year, worst-case scenarios excluding revenue from partnerships, school teams and other leagues.

We have planned well for our fire and police departments. Let's continue to be proactive in our approach to other city infrastructure. The Community Center will enhance our quality of life. Please Vote Yes. <a href="https://www.snoqualmieinfo.com">www.snoqualmieinfo.com</a>

**STATEMENT PREPARED BY:** SCOTT SAUNDERS, ROBIN MOATS, JOHN SHRADER

#### Statement against

Now is not the time to approve the \$9M Community Center bond. The financial information provided is inaccurate and will cost more than anticipated.

The \$28 membership fee is speculative. Fees will be set by City Council and estimated to be \$60-\$100/month per family.

The donation campaign raised only 1/10 of the money promised, requiring a \$1.5M bond measure increase. Most major Corporations and potential public and private users were unwilling to obligate themselves.

The addition of a pool to the basic community center provides insufficient parking. The pool facility is inadequate for swim meets, limiting our revenue potential. There is no room for future growth

Maintenance and Operations (M&O) costs are estimated at an extremely low \$770,218, based on a 1999 study of much smaller facilities. Projected revenue of \$425K leaves a minimum deficit of \$345K. M&O costs increase 1-6% yearly. The City can cover deficits by cutting services, raising taxes and adding population/development. The plan to cover this deficit is a yearly levy set at \$.11/1000.

Snoqualmie voters must consider the financial burden this bond will put upon the City's budget and citizens for many years. We can't afford it.

Vote NO on the Community Center bond.

### Rebuttal of statement for

A Community Center would certainly be a wonderful amenity for our community. Unfortunately the Center we are voting on is way beyond our means, and much too speculative. Snoqualmie's Comprehensive Plan identifies 10,000 as the population needed for an affordable Community Center. An enhanced design better suited to ensure success, is essential. Let's not leave our families, our children, our future and our city struggling to find ways to pay these debts.

Please vote NO.

**STATEMENT PREPARED BY:** TONY YANEZ, ROBIN LANG, MATT STONE



## Fire Protection District No. 50 Proposition No. 1

#### **BALLOT TITLE**

PROPOSITION NO. 1
RENEWAL OF EXISTING PROPERTY TAX
LEVY FOR FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY SERVICES
Shall King County Fire Protection District No. 50 be
authorized to levy a regular property tax of One
Dollar and 50/100 (\$1.50) per One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) of true and fair valuation, to be
levied in 2002 for collection in 2003? This shall not
be construed to authorize an excess levy and shall
be subject to otherwise applicable statutory dollar
rate limitations. Should this proposition be approved?
YES
NO

### **Explanatory Statement**

In 2002 the District levied \$172,070.00 in property taxes. \$102,070.00 came from the District's regular levy and \$70,000.00 was levied by special authority granted to the District for payment of Bond Debt. The District's levy rate for regular taxes was \$1.22 per thousand dollars of assessed valuation or approximately \$244.00 per year in taxes for a home valued at \$200,000.00. Presently however that home also pays for bond debt retirement at a rate of approximately \$0.85 per thousand of assessed valuation, or approximately \$170.00 per year. Thus, for the year 2002 a theoretical home valued at \$200,000.00 in the District pays approximately \$414.00 per year for fire protection and bond retirement.

Assuming that the District with voter approval increased the regular property tax rate to the statutory maximum of \$1.50 per thousand of assessed valuation a \$200,000.00 home would pay \$300.00 per year for fire district taxes, assuming that all bond debt were retired. This would result in an increase in regular property taxes for the homeowner of slightly over \$50.00 per year, but an overall decrease in total fire district property taxes of over \$100.00 per year.

#### Statement for

The members of the Skykomish Volunteer Fire Department are proud of the accomplishment that district has made in the past few years. Some of the progress that has been made resulted from the special bond levy that will be paid off December 2002. This special request to lift the 1.06% statutory property tax limit and the authority to levy the \$1.50 per thousand fire and EMS levy for collection in 2003, will allow the district to continue to provide the same high level service that the residents have enjoyed in the past. When approved, the 2003 tax levy will be less than the current taxes being collected.

The district is currently working to provide an intermediate level of medical service. This will increase the types of medical assistance that can be provided by our EMT's. This level of medical service will require additional training and equipment. Passage of this special levy will be needed to fund progress.

## Statement against

NO STATEMENT SUBMITTED.

STATEMENT PREPARED BY: CLIFFORD "CHIP" DAVIDSON

## Public Hospital District No. 4 Proposition No. 1



## **BALLOT TITLE**

## PROPOSITION NO. 1 PROPERTY TAX LEVY FOR ESSENTIAL HEALTH SERVICES

The Commissioners of Public Hospital District No. 4 adopted Resolution No. 252-0820 concerning a proposition to increase its regular property tax levy. If approved, this proposition would authorize the District to increase its regular property tax levy rate from its current level to a rate of 50 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value for collection in 2003, which amount will be used for computing legal limits on levies in subsequent years, to provide funding for essential health care services for the benefit of District residents. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED? REJECTED?

### **Explanatory Statement**

If approved, this property tax levy would permit King County Public Hospital District No. 4, which owns and operates Snoqualmie Valley Hospital, to fund the operation of a new 24-hour Urgent Care Health Clinic at the hospital. The new clinic will be owned and operated by the public hospital district.

The district's board of commissioners has found that there is a demonstrated need for local, around the clock, urgent care medical services to better serve the needs of the residents of the public hospital district. As such, the district would like to provide a district operated 24-hour clinic as the first step in bringing Level 5 Trauma Services to the Valley.

Without voter approval, there would be insufficient funding to pay for equipping, staffing and operating these services on a 24-hour basis.

The levy increase of approximately \$.07 per thousand of assessed value, or an estimated \$17 annually for an average value house in the district, would return the district's regular property tax rate to the 1996 level.

All district homeowners are entitled to a \$100 annual discount on inpatient services provided by Snoqualmie Valley Hospital upon presentation of proof of tax payment for the current tax year.

#### Statement for

Having 24-hour access to urgent care is something drastically needed in the Valley. We haven't had local access to 24-hour care since 1997, and a lot has happened, both locally and nationally since that time.

A new 24-hour urgent care clinic, as the first step toward receiving a Level 5 Trauma Service designation for the hospital, would help local medical services keep pace with community growth and need. In the aftermath of the 2001 earthquake, September 11 incident, I-90 tanker fire in Issaquah and on-going national concerns regarding chemical and biological terrorism, the community needs around the clock access to Urgent Medical Services and Providers.

By voting YES on this levy proposition, Valley residents will have 24-hour access to medical providers for themselves, their families and to support the local EMS system.

This proposition is suppported by: Snoqualmie Tribe and Overlake Hospital Medical Center.

### Statement against

This levy proposition is just another tax increase masquerading as needed services.

We currently have a great EMS system in place and there is already one 10-hour/day private urgent care clinic in the Valley. Geographically, other hospitals and clinics are reasonably close to populated areas of the district and many residents of the district don't even know that the hospital re-opened almost 2 years ago. Why do they want to add services now?

The Committee Advocating Rejection encourages a NO vote.

### Rebuttal of statement against

NO STATEMENT SUBMITTED.

### Rebuttal of statement for

NO STATEMENT SUBMITTED.

STATEMENT PREPARED BY: RUTH TOLMASOFF, LINDA BONNER

STATEMENT PREPARED BY: DERRICK LOGG, JASON SMITH